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The Honorable Chuck Grassley
Chairman
U.S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary
224 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Dick Durbin
Ranking Member

Dear Chairman Grassley and Ranking Member Durbin,

On behalf of the hundreds of thousands of Concerned Women for America Legislative Action Committee (CWALAC) supporters across the country, I write in support of the nomination of Acting United States Attorney General Todd Blanche to serve as the next Attorney General of the United States. Mr. Blanche's extensive experience, proven character, and wise judgment make him an outstanding pick that the women I represent are proud to support.

There is no question he is more than qualified for the position. Having extensive experience at the U.S. Attorney's Offices while attending Brooklyn Law School at night, graduating cum laude, he later clerked for respected federal judges Denny Chin and Joseph Bianco (both now on the Second Circuit) before joining the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York. There he spent eight years as an Assistant U.S. Attorney in the violent crimes unit, rising to co-chief and later supervising the White Plains branch. He prosecuted serious violent offenders—murder, rape, and other crimes that devastate communities. And he was just as successful in his private practice as a defense attorney.

But he has shined most brightly for us in his time at the Department of Justice (DOJ). As Chair of the Task Force to Eradicate Anti-Christian Bias, he oversaw the publishing of an extensive report cataloging the blatant anti-Christian bias we experienced during the Biden Administration's time in office. At the time of the announcement, Mr. Blanche echoed the sentiment of millions of Americans, religious or not, who firmly believe, along with our Founding Fathers, that "No American should live in fear that the federal government will punish them for their faith." But that is exactly what was happening and what was being ignored at every level, including in the media. As an ex-officio member of President Trump's Religious Liberty Commission, he also helped produce an influential report highlighting the many threats to religious liberty we face today and making key recommendations that he will be in a position to implement as Attorney General.

Under his leadership, the Department of Justice (DOJ):

- Rescinded the Biden-era Memo that treated concerned parents at school board meetings as potential domestic terrorists.
- Filed a lawsuit against Loudoun County School District for forcing gender ideology on students with sincerely held religious beliefs about marriage and human sexuality.
- Ended the weaponization of the Freedom of Access to Clinic Entrances (FACE) Act against peaceful pro-life advocates. Blanche publicly highlighted internal DOJ emails showing prosecutors coordinating with NGOs (Non-Governmental Organizations) to target pro-life individuals who were not breaking the law while often going soft on actual violence against pregnancy centers and churches.
- Is protecting houses of worship and faith communities under RLUIPA (Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act) and other statutes.

There is much to do. A 2022 Biden-Era opinion seeking to indemnify Big Abortion from mailing abortion drugs to states that prohibit it in clear violation of the plain reading of the Comstock Act still remains active on the DOJ's website, for example. But we are confident Mr. Blanche's approach and commitment to dismantling the infrastructure of lawfare that turned the DOJ into a political weapon will continue to progress under his leadership at every level. We are also grateful for his commitment to use the DOJ's resources to stop dangerous drugs, such as chemical abortion pills, from being shipped illegally from foreign adversaries. Conservatives who spent years watching the Department target parents, pro-life sidewalk counselors, traditional Catholics, and Trump supporters finally have a leader who understands that equal justice under law means no more two-tiered system.

In Todd Blanche, we have a seasoned prosecutor and constitutionalist who has already begun the hard work of draining the swamp at Main Justice. Confirming him as Attorney General would send a clear signal that the era of anti-Christian bias, pro-life targeting, and woke weaponization of the law is over. Equal justice, religious liberty, and the protection of life, marriage, and family are back at the DOJ. The Senate should confirm him without delay.

Sincerely,



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